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Jeffrey Luthi Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation One Columbus Circle, N.E. Thurgood Marshall Federal Judiciary Building Room G-255 Washington, D.C. 20002-8004

> Re: In re Pet Foods Product Liability Litigation - MDL No. 1850

Dear Mr. Luthi:

We represent movants Jayme Pittsonberger, David Carter, and Jim Bullock in connection with the above-captioned matter.

We understand, after communicating with Teresa Bishop of the Panel staff, that our motion papers were submitted too late to be included on the same hearing session as the previous motion. Please file our motion papers as an "interested party response," so that our position may be considered at the hearing on the motions already filed in this litigation. We further understand that the new actions we referenced in our papers may be considered as tag-along cases should the Panel issue a transfer order in this litigation.

Please contact me should you have any questions concerning this letter or our prior filing.

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BEFORE THE JUDICIAL PANEL ON MULTIDISTRICT LITIGATION

IN RE PET FOODS PRODUCT LIABILITY LITIGATION)	MDL Docket No.1850	
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I have this day served upon all Parties' counsel of record, or upon the Party if no counsel of record appears, a copy of the within and foregoing "LETTER TO THE PANEL DATED APRIL 9, 2007 CONCERNING PLAINTIFFS JAYME PITTSONBERGER, DAVID CARTER AND JIM BULLOCK'S JOINT MOTION FOR TRANSFER AND COORDINATION PURSUANT TO 28 U.S.C §1407" by causing a copy of same to be deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to the persons and entities listed on the attached service list.

This is also to certify that I have this day mailed to the clerk of each United States District Court in which an action is pending that will be affected by the Motion for Transfer and Coordination Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407 a copy, for purposes of filing in said Court, of the within and foregoing "LETTER TO THE PANEL DATED APRIL 9, 2007 CONCERNING

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